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UNINTERESTING.

**Municipal Meeting Very
Listless Affair.**

**PETITIONS CONSUME LARGE
PART OF THE TIME.**

**Only One Matter Of Special Importance
Is Discussed.**

**PERMISSION GRANTED FOR BONFIRES ON
NIGHT BEFORE THE FOURTH.**

The meeting of the city councils on Thursday evening was not a very lively affair. The business was disposed of in a listless manner and at no time was any great amount of interest displayed. The compiled ordinances of the city were passed, Street Commissioner Hett was given authority to locate a number of poles for the Rockingham Light and Power company and several petitions were taken under consideration. Permission was also given for the Fourth of July bonfires.

In Board Of Mayor And Aldermen. Aldermen Wood and Bailey were the absentees in the upper board. Ald Smith was not present when the roll was called, but came in and took his seat later.

The records were read and approved, according to custom, and a good sized batch of petitions was then read.

A request that the Maplewood avenue sewer be extended 100 feet signed by Shirley B. Davis and others, and, another, presented by Joseph W. White and several other citizens, asking for a sewer on Winter street, were referred to the committee on sewers. A petition from Taylor Waterhouse that a sewer be constructed on Sherburne avenue from Lincoln avenue to his house was granted.

William T. Lucas was granted a renewal of his license as a dealer in second hand articles, but a petition for a license from Harry Cohen was laid on the table.

Jeremiah Reagan, John Crumley, Joseph Billbruck and a few others were given permission to open drains into the Woodbury avenue sewer and William Leary was given the right to enter the Cottage street sewer.

Eben Blaisdell and about thirty others presented a petition asking permission to build bonfires on Market square and on a vacant lot on McDonough street on the night before the Fourth and the request was granted.

Bills to the amount of \$25.00 each for damage done in the cellars of Ellen J. Quinn of Washington street and Dennis Trefethen of Water street, caused by the recent overflow of the Washington street sewer, were referred to the committee on claims. A bill of \$8.00 for damage to the chimney of Mary J. Simms of Court street, resulting from the trimming of nearby trees, was disposed of in a similar manner.

Two bills against the board of health were presented by R. H. Beacham and Son. One of these, calling for the amount of \$145, has been previously brought before the board. The other contained charges for team hire from Jan. 1 to March 20, 1903, amounting to \$328. Both were turned over to the committee on claims.

A petition from the New England Telephone and Telegraph company for the location of poles and fixtures on Water and Marcy streets and Newcastle avenue was referred to the committee on streets, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

A long petition from the Rockingham Light and Power company asking for licenses to locate and relocate poles on a large number of streets was next read. The streets named in the petition and the number of poles to be erected or changed on each are given below.

Atkinson street extension, 3; Gates street, 2; Jenkins avenue, 2; South street, 3; New Broad street, 2; Austin street, 1; Court street, 2; corner of Chestnut and Court streets, 1; corner of Court and Middle streets, 1; Pleasant street, 4; Marcy street, 2; Salter street, 1; Ladd street, 1; Chestnut street, 1; Hancock street, 1; Washington street, 1; corner Washington and Gates streets, 1; Edward street, 1; Sagamore avenue, 1.

In connection with this petition, Ald. Martin introduced a resolution and requested its passage. "For the information of the city government," he said, "I will state that the Light and Power company seems disposed to meet us half way and has agreed to furnish the power for our new storage battery, when it is installed, free of charge."

Ald. Martin's resolution read as follows: "Upon the petition of the Rockingham Light and Power company it is, 'Ordered, that the petition of the Rockingham Light and Power company be referred, with power to act finally on all matters covered thereby, to the street commissioner, the license to maintain such poles as he locates and relocates to extend twenty years from this date and the street commissioner is hereby appointed the agent of this board to act upon the matters contained in this petition, agreeably to an act of the legislature, approved March 20, 1903.'"

The resolution was passed, without a dissenting voice.

At this point, a message was received from the common council announcing that that body had accepted the quit claim deed of Elwin Newton and Sherman T. Newton and requesting the concurrence of the board of aldermen. In this deed, for one dollar and other valuable considerations, the Messrs Newton renounce all claim to the land lately owned by them, traversed by the recently laid out Wallace street. The deed was accepted by the board.

The auditor's report containing bills amounting to \$2133.31, was approved and the bills ordered paid.

Ald. Martin reported that investigation had established the fact that Harry Hofstein, one of the applicants for a junk dealer's license, was a naturalized American citizen and a tax payer in this city and moved that his application be granted. The motion was carried.

The petition of the Portsmouth and Exeter street railway company for permission to put in a switch at The Plains, presented at the last meeting, was reported favorably and granted.

A recess was here taken to await action on the part of the common council.

During the recess, the petition of the Light and Power company was passed to the gentlemen of the board to receive their signatures. All present, including the mayor, signed it, with the exception of Ald. Fernald.

When the board reconvened, the compiled ordinances of the city, just passed by the council, were approved without argument.

Ald. Fernald stated that the city was badly in need of crushed stone and on motion of Ald. Martin, the committee on streets was empowered to locate the stone crusher wherever it might be deemed to be the city's best advantage.

Ald. Knight for the committee on street lights reported on several petitions for new lights. He recommended that one incandescent light be placed on New Broad street, instead of two are lights, as requested, and suggested that an incandescent light be placed at the corner of Kent street and Lincoln avenue, as a substitute for the arc light asked for by the petitioners. Both recommendations were adopted.

Petitions for lights on Commercial alley, Morning street and Middle street, between Haymarket square and Richards avenue, were returned without recommendations.

There appeared to be a decided opinion that these petitions should be granted and the committee on street lights was authorized to do so in case it could be arranged to remove lights from other places.

A resolution, introduced by Ald.

Fernald, directing the Rockingham Light and Power company to remove its pole at the corner of State and Pleasant streets, near the place of business of J. E. Hoyle, to the opposite corner on or before July 10, was passed.

The board then adjourned until Thursday evening, July 16.

RECESS TILL MONDAY.

Governor and Council Did Not Confirm License Inspector Nominations.

The governor and council held an executive session on Thursday evening from about 7.30 to 10 o'clock. Various matters were discussed, the principal one being the confirmation of the inspectors as nominated by the state board of license commissioners.

Although not officially so stated, it appears that the governor and council were once more unable to agree, and a recess was taken till next Monday afternoon.

THE LITTLE JOKER.

There is a big army of Bachelors of Arts turned loose this week, but if the twentieth century girl knows her business--and there is every reason to believe she does--many of them won't long be bachelors.

When a girl is sitting in a ham mock on a dark night and a man starts toward her and then sits down somewhere else it makes her feel just the way a man feels when the horse he has bet on bolts right in the middle of the race.

We don't know if the moon is full, Or if it's in the quarter, But if it's full, we know full well It must be full of water.

It seems to be merely a case of next summer lingering in the lap of winter before last.

"What kind of furniture is a weather bureau?" asked the young man with wide ears. And the sad-eyed boarder answered: "I should infer that it is a sort of refrigerator."

About the time of the glorious Fourth the grim reaper puts down his scythe and takes up the far more efficacious toy pistol.

The other afternoon a postal card with the following writing on it was found on State street. "Dear-- Family all well. How is Mrs. Roache and all the little Roaches?"

A man has been found who stole his wife's false teeth and the springs from his sick mother's bed, pawing both to buy a picnic excursion ticket. Who is he? We'll never tell.

"Where are you going to spend the summer?" asked the shark. "Oh, in the seaside resort news, as usual," answered the sea-serpent.

As heat expands and cold contracts and this summer isn't of the expanding sort, how is the following summer poem as an appropriate tribute to the glacial gelidity, the frosty frigidity, the Arctic alidity, and the hyperborean horripilation of the circumbient atmosphere these June days? Listen:

No!

Hot.

This might have been longer but it couldn't be stronger.

It isn't at all strange that the trees are so heavily loaded this spring--they've been drinking pretty hard lately.

The presidential tickets of the two leading parties for 1904 are as follows.

Republican. For president--Theodore Roosevelt of New York. For vice president--

Democrat. For president--

For vice president--

This is hard weather for open air theatre.

OVER THE RIVER.

**What Is Going On In
Town Of Kittery.**

**CHAPTER OF EVENTS IN OUR
LIVELY SISTER TOWN.**

**Things Of Interest To People On Both
Sides Of The Piscataqua.**

**BUDGET OF NEWS INTENDED FOR READERS
THERE OR HERE.**

Kittery, June 26. Miss Jessie I. Wentworth invited a few friends to her home last evening, to meet a former playmate, Miss Haddassa Goodwin, who, having concluded her term of teaching here, returns to her home in Portland tomorrow. Miss Goodwin is the daughter of Mrs. Chase Goodwin, who at one time resided in Kittery.

The evening was delightfully passed. Ice cream and a variety of assorted cakes were served from a very prettily laid table, well decorated with flowers, the hostess presiding.

A decorated cake with "Pansy" and "1903" woven in and around the frosting formed an attractive centerpiece and was much admired.

The card playing season was fittingly brought to a close last evening at the home of E. E. Otis, when the members of the Gentlemen's Euchre club royally entertained the members of the Ladies' West End club. The hours were most enjoyably passed with whist, six tables being played. At the close of the game ice cream and cake was served. The award of prizes was follows. Ladies' first, handsome picture, Mrs. Frank Kuse; ladies' second, picture, Miss Susie Paul, baby, Mrs. George D. Boulter gentleman's first, handsome picture, E. E. Otis, second, picture, George H. Marden, baby, Calvin Dunbar. The ladies take this opportunity to thank the gentlemen for their royal entertainment.

Miss Iva Grant and brother Harry of Somerville, Mass., arrived here yesterday to pass the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Trefethen.

Mrs. Boynton and son of Lynn, Mass., are guests of Capt and Mrs. H. W. Trefethen.

Mrs. Annie E. Wilson has returned from a two weeks' visit with her children in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Hillard, who has been visiting Mrs. Charles Duncan, returns to her home in Kingston today.

Mrs. Thomas Morrison has returned to her home in Portland, Me., after a week's visit here with her parents, Mr and Mrs. John Burnham, Wood-lawn avenue.

The new cars for the Dover, South Berwick and York line of which several have been running for several days, are much admired. They are easy and commodious, and the headlight is one of the brightest, showing everything along the track brilliantly twice the distance of the old ones.

Miss Inez Kuse, Newmarket street, leaves today for a week's visit with friends in Newfields, N. H.

Miss Mary Piper leaves today for a visit with friends in Stratham, N. H.

Several from Kittery and Kittery Point attended Ladies' night at the Portsmouth Athletic club in Portsmouth last evening. Among them were Mr and Mrs. Calvin Hayes, Mrs. George Marden, Mrs. E. L. Chaney, Mrs. Hattie Wentworth, Mrs. Fred Noyes, Miss Agnes Norton, Miss Beatrice Goodwin, Miss Emily Wilson and Miss Charlie Brooks.

The ladies of the Second Christian church were obliged to postpone their social that was advertised for last evening.

RIVER AND HARBOR.

The tug Concord with the barges

Darby and Hanover in tow, is on the way from Philadelphia.

Capt. John Hillhouse, with the assistance of the steamer Queen City and Alice Howard floated the schooner Flying Eagle from the beach at Badger's Island on Thursday and the Queen City towed her to Elliot.

The work of repairing the damage to the steamer Rockland at Steamboat wharf is being rushed and she will return to her route the first of the week. She is also receiving a coat of paint.

The steamer Sagamore towed the floating stage to Little Harbor that is used for a landing at the Wentworth House.

The tug Piscataqua sailed for Boston today with a tow of barges loaded with brick.

LARGELY ATTENDED DANCE.

**Messrs. Stuart And Marshall Give An
Invitation Party.**

Messrs. Stuart and Marshall gave a largely attended invitation dance in Conservatory hall on Thursday evening. Miss Henderson furnished the music.

The Dances.

1. Waltz
 2. Two Step.
 3. Schottische
 4. Portland Fancy.
 5. Caprice.
 6. Waltz.
 7. Two Step.
 8. Galop.
- Intermission 20 minutes.
9. Waltz, Two Step, Schottische.
 10. Two Step.
 11. Duchess.
 12. Waltz.
 13. Schottische.
 14. Two Step.
 15. Berlin.
 16. Waltz

ELIOT.

Elliot, Me., June 26.

Miss Williams of Kittery, who has been housekeeper for Onville Goodwin, left Tuesday to pass the summer at the beach.

Miss Bessie Blaisdell, who has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Sarah B. Chapman, has gone to Cornish, Me. to visit friends.

Mrs. Clara Shapleigh returned to her home in Salem, Mass., Monday, after passing a few days with friends here.

Married at the parsonage June 23 by Rev. T. C. Chapman, John Emery and Miss Marie Goodwin, both of Elliot.

The personal property of the late Eben Simpson was sold at auction on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Richardson, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Chapman, for the past three weeks, returned to her home in Brunswick, Me. on Wednesday. She was accompanied by her daughter, who will pass a few weeks at her old home.

John Simpson of York was in town Tuesday.

Rev. D. W. Waldron of Boston was in town Wednesday.

Rosemary cottage will be opened June 29. The guests will arrive the first day of July. RAFT.

It takes a Troy shirt factory just 6-12 minutes to make a shirt. With careful usage the best of them will wear twice as long as that--York Transcript

When in Exeter

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ON THE DIAMOND.

Early History of Baseball.
A Concord baseball expert evolved the following when he ought to have been studying his Sunday school lesson: "The devil was the first coach. Eve stole first. Adam stole second. When Isaac met Rebecca at the well she was walking with a pitcher. Sampson struck out a good man when he beat the Philistines. Moses made his first run when he slew the Egyptians. Cain made a base hit when he killed Abel. Abraham made a sacrifice. The prodigal son made a home run. David was a long-distance thrower and Moses shut out the Egyptians at the Red Sea."

Sensation of the Season.
Fred Parent, the Rochester lad, is battling at a 400 clip for the Boston Americans, and is certainly the sensation of the season in this respect. He steps up to the ball pretty much as he would to a girl, and brings his bat around smoothly as he would a fan. He has a great eye for the ball. His short stature compels the opposing pitchers to give Parent a nice ball to hit, and the instinct which makes the batsman seem to have come to him and brought bag gage as if to stay.

Amos Rustie pitched a game for the Vincennes, Ind., team, of which he is manager, a few days ago and shut out an Illinois team without a hit. Neither did he give a base on balls. A mar who can pitch like that should stick to the game.

Yale has won three out of the last seven games in Cambridge and dropped seven of the last eight in New Haven.

It looks as though certain persons are right when they say Matthewson is being made too much of. He performed like a pet who had not received his daily portion of sweets. After the game an unkind "rooter" yelled, "Hey there, Matty, you'll have to get a hat now that's a size smaller."—New York Daily News.

Tom Loftus, manager of the Washington club, is of the opinion that the days of fancy-salaried players are numbered. A salary limit of \$2000 he says, will probably be fixed for next year. Washington, St. Louis, New York, Boston and Cleveland are all carrying salary lists that reach \$50,000 and upward.

Connecticut league umpires get \$150 per month and pay their own expenses.

It is now said that Pitcher Klobe has signed with Los Angeles. The old man will have to play ball some to stay with that outfit.

The state teams are to have more star players than usual this year. Billy Hamilton is to be seen in the game at Claremont on Saturday.

HAMPTON BEACH.

Summer Theatre Season There Will Open Next Monday.

The Summer Theatre at Hampton Beach will open next Monday, June 23, with a strong vaudeville program which will demonstrate to the patrons at once the high standard of entertainment to be maintained at this popular resort the present season.

Any one who has ever missed seeing Till's Marionettes has missed one of the rarest treats on the vaudeville stage. John Till is one of London's most famous marionette performers, and this park has certainly secured a prize in the appearance of this act for the coming week. The children will be specially delighted with the mimic performances of these queer figures that appear so life-like and yet so diminutive, and which enact such a interesting little comedy scenes.

The Brothers LaSelle, aerial gymnastic comedians, give a sensational and thrilling performance on a revolving ladder. The positions which they assume while the ladder is revolving rapidly around are both interesting and daring and require a great amount of skill and dexterity.

The "Minstrel Boys," Frank Mitchell and James Marron, will provide a unique black-face act in this week's program which will provoke much laughter and applause. Both are adepts in the tricks of old-time minstrelsy and there is not a dull moment in their entertainment.

The Great Lorella will appear in the specialty of comedy juggling and his skillful drum major act. He shows great dexterity in balancing various objects on places and in positions which would have been thought impossible if one had not seen him. His work with the baton is particularly artistic and picturesque.

Felix Haney and Co. will be seen in their one-act comedy entitled Laugh Louder, which is written by Nell Twomey. Mr. Haney is admirably assisted by Miss Hester Cooke and some splendid singing and dancing

numbers are introduced. Felix Haney appears in the character of Laugh Louder, and Miss Cooke as Esther Briggs. The action of the comedy is supposed to take place in a small town in Maine.

THE NEWSPAPER EDITORIAL.

The New York Tribune deprecates the marked tendency of American newspapers to convert their editorial pages into salmagundis of news comment, paragraphic wit, gossip, pictures and skits of poetry and provincial romance. The Tribune, being itself a dignified and sonorous survival of the ancient regime in journalism, prefers the custom of earlier times, when "grave and solemn treatment of weighty themes" was the office of the editorial page.

We quite agree with The Tribune that some of the most notable newspapers of the country have gone to the extreme of "frivolity and fustian" in the make-up of their editorial pages. Some of them are like the synopsis of a vaudeville show. But we cannot agree that the old "grave and solemn" aspect of an editorial page is best fitted for the intelligent and quick-acting thought of the modern generation.

The editorial page of The Tribune is a model of its ideal and we confess that we read it with both pleasure and enlightenment, but we make the time and have the purpose that renders its reading profitable to us. The Boston Herald has an editorial page not so "grave and solemn" perhaps, as that of The Tribune, but ever more valuable for its up to date treatment of "weighty themes." But the happiest mean between The Tribune ideal and the patchwork pages it inveighs against is the editorial page of The New York Sun, where serious, humor, wit, poetry and novelty most happily combine.

There are, in fact, but two of the "old-time" editors left to us—White, law Reid, of The Tribune, and Henry Watterson, of The Courier-Journal. The one, by reason of wealth and foreign association, is affected, if not afflicted, with the conservatism that congests in the columns of The London Times. The other, by reason of his birthright and his free association with get up and get Americans, is the gray haired youth of the profession—pungent as Prentiss, solid as Daniel, fearless as Forsyth, witty as Rochefort and genially playful as Mark Lemon. Their day lingers only for their going.

The editorial page has ceased its importance in the modern newspaper if necessary, the busheiman downstairs has orders to sidetrack "editorial stuff" to make room for the story of a fight between dudes in a parlor, with pictures of the participants before and after taking! An editorial demand in twenty sharp lines for a faster trolley schedule, or an additional stamp window at the postoffice, is of far more importance than any deep article on the peace of Europe or the mix-up in Manchuria.

The people want quick, hot stuff on live topics and the sensible editoria writer tries to combine in short articles such information and comment as will give the reader a fresh and tangible view of the subject treated. The man who can do that with a dozen live wire matters inside of two or three columns is an artist in the business and can get hired three times quicker than all the essayists who ever thundered in The Times of London or roared in The Tribune of New York.—Atlanta Constitution.

PERT AND TO THE POINT.

The success of the American rapid fire luncheon in London will doubtless pave the way for a profitable invasion of the British Isles by vendors of patent dyspeptic cures made in America.—Philadelphia North American.

Lynbomir Zisakovits was one of the leaders of the Serbian revolt. A man who can carry around a name like that is fit for any sort of wickedness.—Baltimore Herald.

Mr. Cleveland characterizes the alleged interview reported by G. M. Bailey of the Galveston News as inaccurate. Public men have a way of fending their views to newspaper reporters, and then, if the views do not strike the public favorably, of harging the reporters with misrepresenting them.—Sommersworth Free Press.

There appears to be a certain rivalry among the fashionable young women of Newport in the matter of innovations. One of the three who appeared with their hair down their backs now goes about hairless. Now, if these reformers would only set the pace by abandoning the ridiculous high heels which make lovely women's gait that of a Chinese cripple, it would be well.—New York Evening Sun.

THE GOOD OLD SUBBER TIBE.

There's a tibe in each year That we always hold dear, Good old subber tibe. When the birds have the wheezes, Prob the cold Easter breeze, Good old subber tibe. When your day's work is over, Don't thik you're id clover, For life is a horrible dreach, All troubles adjoynted, dach and ad joynted, This cold old subber tibe.

Chorus:

Id the good old subber tibe, Id the good old subber tibe, Striding id the pourig r tide, With your baby bide, Her cheek's like adow, her had's like ice, Ad that's a very good side That's she's your frozen tootsey, Id this dard cold subber tibe.

PROBATE COURT.

Business Transacted At The Last Session Held At Exeter.

The following business was transacted at the June term of the probate court in Exeter:

Wills proved—Harrison Burnham, Auburn, Harrison B. Burnham, executor; Celina Labrousche, Derry, Della Depresne, executrix; Roxana C. Shirley, Auburn, Alfred D. Emery, executor; Pepperell Frost, North Hampton, Joseph W. Odell, executor; Jacob Chapman, Exeter, Henry A. Shute, executor; Annie R. Thurston, Brentwood, Charles Haley, executor; Charles T. Brown, Hampton, Alice W. Brown, executor.

Administration granted in estates of Sarah G. Buswell, East Kingston; John H. Buswell, administrator; Andrew J. Morse, Londonderry, Mary P. Morse, administratrix; Lois A. Carleton, Plaistow, Moses H. Carleton, administrator; Joseph H. Thacher, Portsmouth, Louise N. Thacher, administratrix; Anna C. Smith, Epping, George S. Thompson, administrator; Mary J. Flanagan, Exeter, Thomas H. Flanagan, administrator; Gustav Peterson, Deerfield, George H. Towle, administrator; Parker M. Towle, Candia, Harriet R. Towle, administratrix.

Inventories returned in estates of Martha J. Nichols, Portsmouth; Justus W. Peaslee, Atkinson; Francis W. Stevens, East Kingston; Sophia W. Dolloff, Stratham; Horace Adams, Hampstead; Sarah E. Webster, East Kingston; Nathan Hoyt, Danville; John Swanback, Salem; Alice J. Wallace et als., Plaistow; John S. Peaslee, Newton.

Accounts returned in estates of Gilman Marston, Exeter; Benjamin Adams, Derry; Benjamin F. Adams, Derry; Charlotte F. Green, Kensington; Laura S. Parshley, Brentwood; Elsie Carry, Exeter; Charles O. Royce, Northwood; Charles E. Shaw, Kingston; Harriet W. Fernald, Atkinson; William R. Little, Atkinson.

Accounts filed in estates of Margaret A. Baker, Exeter; George S. Rand, Portsmouth; Stephen Bailey, Salem; Samuel N. Payne, Derry; Clarissa Eaton, Seabrook; Lucy A. Shaw, Kensington; Susan V. Spaulding, Candia; Edward W. Hall, Candia; Julia P. Constantine, Exeter.

Petition filed for notice in the estate of Katherine B. Meahall, petitioner guardian; petition to amend records, Augusta Nowell, Derry; petition to amend records, Ida B. Peabody, Derry; administrator petitions to license real estate, Timothy Currier, Newton; petition administrator Sophia R. Purrington, Exeter; petition to prove will, Sarah A. Locke, North Hampton.

Guardian appointed over Walter S. Merrill, Londonderry, Oliver Merrill guardian.

Wills filed, Rebecca Thurston, Exeter; Daniel Butterfield, Chester.

Receipts filed in estates of Walter F. Brooks, Portsmouth; Harriet W. Fernald, Atkinson; Charlotte F. Green, Kensington; Samuel N. Payne, Derry; Benjamin Adams, Derry; C. C. Cliley, Kingston; Clarissa Eaton, Seabrook; Samuel Whittier, Deerfield; William R. Little, Atkinson.

Receipt filed in estate of Nancy D. Payne, Derry.

Appointment of agents in estates of Ida D. Upton, Deerfield, Benjamin Giles, Northwood, agent; Justus W. Peaslee, Atkinson, Gilman Green, Atkinson, agent.

Commissioner's report filed in estate of Edward W. Hall, Candia. Commissioner's notice filed in estate of John W. Locke, Seabrook.

License to sell real estate in estate of Frances R. Baker, Exeter; John Swanback, Salem.

License to sell real estate in estate of Augusta E. Marshall, Hampstead.

License to sell personal estate in estate of John S. Peaslee, Newton.

FROM THE PHILOSOPHER.

He Looks Ahead to Vacation. This is the season when fair young ladies begin to dream of an

outing to the seashore of warm and sunny towns of gay footsteps in a white gown, where bright light and dash of life in the happy air, and the loss of the old and the new, and sweet whispering of the sea, and the wind, while the sea remains a soft melody of argument, and the day their several plans for the summer vacation, all of which have escaped the notice of that in the able observer of passing events, the Philosopher.

"Well here we are," says he, "never through paying for that winter vacation and now the summer outing stares us in the face."

"Every other fellow I meet asks where I'm going this summer, as though society demands I go some where. I don't mean the well known aggregation of gay pleasure seekers when I speak of society. I use the word in the broader sense, meaning civilized people."

"I suppose I will go somewhere for a few weeks and rest, for after a person has gone through twelve months of our bustling way of life, he really needs a rest. But you won't catch me at any crowded hotel or summer resort; I can rest at home better than there."

"I'm going where there are woods and hills and limpid brooks; where the few people I shall meet will be but simple, unsophisticated folk, who never saw an automobile nor heard a phonograph, but who do know where the silvery fish come up to nibble at the hook dropped down in crystal waters, where the wild birds store their honey and where the old quail takes the velvet-coated young ones out to feed."

"There I can find real rest, mental rest as well as the physical, and in the cathedral silence of the tall pine forest my weary ear will be undisturbed by sounds of revelry, and the manifold clamor of resort hotels. The chirping crickets will be my orchestra when I dine, with golden honey, nestarsweet, and the crisp, brown arm of a tender young chicken to slake my hunger. Then the zephyrs will sing their songs to me and the dikes murmur a lullaby when I lie down to sleep."

"Now, isn't that better than worrying about how often your waiter should be tipped or making yourself miserable because Mrs. Gaylord has more and finer gowns than your own leap wiley?"

"However, everyone has the privilege of doing just as he pleases so long as he doesn't infringe on the rights of someone else, and I'm not concerning myself with the vacation plans of the rest of mankind."

"But I do feel a sympathy for the poor devil who can't have any vacation. I sympathize not merely because he must stay in Portsmouth, for Portsmouth's a very good place to be any time of the year, but because he must keep his nose to it."

FOR THE DAINTEST

garments and the tenderest hands. Saves the clothes and protects the hands. It's all purity through and through. No toiling, no boiling with

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ONE WEEK, COMMENCING

Monday, June 29.

J.W. German's Olympians

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outlook for the seashore of warm and sunny towns of gay footsteps in a white gown, where bright light and dash of life in the happy air, and the loss of the old and the new, and sweet whispering of the sea, and the wind, while the sea remains a soft melody of argument, and the day their several plans for the summer vacation, all of which have escaped the notice of that in the able observer of passing events, the Philosopher.

The Overparticular Sanitary Woman

Have you come across the overparticular sanitary woman yet? Heaven help you if you have, for it means peace of mind and content of body and soul forever. She is generally to be found in hotels and boarding houses and she says in her staccato tones:

"My dear, surely you're not using the towels here! Just think of the germs of disease they contain! I always take my own whenever I go."

You casually mention putting some field flowers in your tooth glass. "Gracious!" she's very dangerous! There might be something poisonous, but, then, of course, you do not use it for your tooth. Think of the number of false sets that have been put in it. I always carry my own glass with me."

At table you sit down with a fine appetite, when close to your ear comes a warning voice:

"Do not eat the oysters. They have a very peculiar taste, and there is so much typhoid hereabout. The peas are canned and taste of the least-most injurious. The beef, too, is slightly tainted, and I'm so afraid of this new disease the cattle have, aren't you? By the way, I saw the waiter drop your fork and neglect to give you another."

A few days of this and you are convinced that life is hardly worth the living.—New York Times.

Brother Diekey's Lightning Lecture.

"Lightning is gittin' anner de churches ag'in," said Brother Diekey, "gittin' 'em right on 'em, up on de country. But de wicked needn't take any comfort from dat, kaze hit only demonstrates dat fire is gittin' too close ter 'em fer de comfortable! Hit's nuffin mo' nor less dan Satan's archin' out de wicked, on de wicked is famous fer crawlin' ter de kiver or a moonin' house when he see a storm comin'. Den de lightning blazes de way ter him, on de thunder growls on his track lak a bound on a fox trail, on purty soon de wicked is unknivered, on de church gas too hot to hold him! Lightning is purty much lak some folks in dis worl'—good enough in his way when ez hit keeps his distance, but too high up ter be happy on too good or huntin' trouble on de fast mail!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Ambition Achieved.

The good little calf spoke feelingly. "I intend," he said, "to be the sole support of my mother later on."

"Noble sentiment," remarked the leather dealer who overheard him; "I will assist you."

He was as good as his word. In a certain store today you will find a pair of well made shoes.

Their soles are cowhide and their uppers are calf.

Thus do we see that laudable ambition always succeeds.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Making a Date.



Philadelphia Ledger.

It Did the Work.

Dr. Finkem. And did my preparation cure your indigestion? Pale Patient. I should say yes. Ever since I took the first dose I haven't been able to keep anything in my stomach long enough to let my imagination get started at it. Baltimore American.

A Preference.

"Are you going to take a vacation this summer?" "I suppose I'll have to," answered Mr. Cunnopy, "although I must say I'd like to put in one summer simply attending to business and resting up."—Washington Star.

Back to the Factory.

Blobs. The affinity between matches and heaven is vindicated. Dobbie. How so? Blobs. Searcher lighted one to find the look in his automobile, and he was headed that way when last seen.—New York Herald.

Explained.

"What was the trouble?" "He couldn't swim." "What has that to do with his failure?" "He got into a company where the stock was all water."—Chicago Post.

Board, but No Food.

Dusty. Wot wuz de longest y ever went without food? Rusty. De time I worked a week at a boarding house fer me board.—Baltimore American.

Portsmouth Electric Railway

Time-Table in Effect Daily, Commencing June 21, 1903.

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DAUNTLESS MORAL COURAGE.

President Roosevelt has demonstrated from the very beginning that he intended to submit the postal department frauds to a full investigation.

Some democratic papers have tried to make capital out of this unfortunate scandal and in pursuance of this policy have hinted that the president would not do his full duty in punishing those responsible for it, but there has never been anything to indicate that Mr. Roosevelt intended to shirk the task before him. On the contrary, he has displayed energy and promptness unusual in cases of this kind. It is hard to see what he could have done more than he has done or to see any opening for just criticism.

The Herald does not mean to intimate that all the anti-republican journals which complained of the manner in which the president conducted the case, were insincere, but it holds the opinion that they were hasty in their judgments and unfortunate in their choice of words. Some of them, without doubt, were simply trying to injure Mr. Roosevelt in the eyes of the people, but we cannot believe that this was the motive which actuated them all.

In point of fact, a portion of the democratic press has already acknowledged that Mr. Roosevelt is not as if he intended to determine the full extent of the frauds and to punish those responsible for them. The papers which have displayed this spirit of fairness are among the most prominent and influential of their party's organs and their recent utterances constitute one of the greatest tributes ever paid to the president's honesty of purpose.

It is strange, is it not, that Mr. Roosevelt seems to overcome every obstacle in his path and to score a triumph in every contest in which he engages? He has made a record for public spiritedness and dauntless moral courage surpassed by no occupant of the presidential chair since the republic was founded.

PENCIL POINTS.

Sir Thomas Lipton spends his money very cheerfully to make an American holiday.

The circus which is the first to start a menagerie of microbes will possess a genuine novelty.

King Peter sits on his throne at last, but there is no telling how soon it may slide out from under him.

John Mitchell has at last yielded to temptation and is writing a book. We had really expected better things of John.

The postal department is being investigated pretty thoroughly, but our mail usually gets around on time, nevertheless.

Porfirio Diaz evidently has a life lease of the Mexican presidential chair and the longer he lives the better for Mexico.

Mr. Cleveland alone, thinks the Detroit Free Press, can give a definite

answer to the question of whether he is a candidate or not. As Mr. Cleveland seems disinclined to give that answer, it may be absolutely necessary for some one else to decide for him.

The optimism and the high ideals of the sweet girl graduate will certainly do the world no harm, even if they do it no good.

Accounts of the recent opening of an American quick lunch counter in London failed to state how the Englishmen liked the pie.

The discovery of the ruins of another ancient city in Mexico gives further ground for the belief that this is really the old world, after all.

New York dogs must hereafter wear muzzles. It's hard on the dogs, but New York wisely considers men of more importance than canines.

Bananas can best be ripened, it is said in a room kept at 110 degrees. It would take a lot of anthracite to maintain that temperature for any length of time.

Those prominent citizens of Wilmington, who burned the negro, George White, at the stake, showed their horror of a heinous crime by committing another.

"Herbert Spencer has for years turned out an average of 330 words of revised manuscript per day." Herbert is working too hard. He should join the International union of Historical Novel Writers.

It is now intended to exhibit Plymouth rock about the country. The historic boulder means a great deal on the spot where the Pilgrims landed, but it is hard to understand what significance it will have in a showman's tent at Oshkosh.

The Venezuelan civil war has broken out again. It seems to be necessary for President Castro to establish a close season on revolutionists every once in a while or the Venezuelans would be unable to indulge in their national sport for lack of rebels to shoot.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Some Don'ts.

To the Editor of The Herald:—During the last two weeks our streets have had a thorough spring cleaning. Much rubbish, papers, etc., which during the long drouth were allowed to accumulate in the gutters, were washed away. It is sad to see that already the hand of man is undoing nature's kind work. Bits of paper, banana peel, peanut shells are again in evidence all up and down our streets. What can be done to arouse civic pride in neat civic housekeeping? If our citizens would one and all notice and observe the following don'ts, there would be no need of ever asking such a question.

Don't tear up your waste paper in the streets and let it fly to the four winds. The gutters are not meant for wastebaskets. If you are a parent or a teacher don't neglect to teach your children the importance of the above. The condition of the streets in the vicinity of the schoolhouses would lead an observer to think that such an idea had never been presented to the youthful mind.

If you are a householder don't fail to notice the condition of the sidewalk and gutters in front of your premises. A few minutes' attention from you each week would keep them in good order. Don't think that good housekeeping means spotlessness indoors only. You are also responsible for the out of doors in front of your dwelling. In winter, for the sidewalk's freedom from snow and ice; in summer, for its neatness.

Also, don't let your ashman carry away from your house a load of loose paper and rubbish, all unprotected. A playful gust of wind over an uncovered ash cart will make a street disgracefully untidy in a very few minutes. Make the ashman cover up his cart as the law requires. He knows the ordinance and will comply with it if he thinks he is being watched.

Can't all of us as citizens take more pride in the appearance of our city by trying to be more thoughtful and to observe these "don'ts"? An improved condition of the streets would certainly be worth the attempt.

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PLEASANT WORDS.

Two Artists Well Known in Portsmouth Warmly Praised.

The Boston Transcript has the following to say of two artists well known in this city and New Castle:

This summer's exhibition of American art in the Maine State building at Poland Springs, Me., is the best of the series which was begun nine years ago under the auspices of the Rickers. It contains more good paintings and a wider variety of work.

Frank W. Benson's "Portrait of a Lady" is given the chief place of honor on the walls, and not without reason. This is a full length and life size figure of a straight, slender young woman, who stands in a studio, dressed in a golden silk brocade gown, which almost matches the color of the wearer's hair. There is a quaint character about the young woman, as well as her gown, and the air with which she stands there, playing the grande dame, is most engaging. In the background is a Japanese screen, with a stork which seems to be turning his head to look at the lady—a fortuitous effect which is not without its comical aspect. This is one of Mr. Benson's most interesting pictures. His coadjutor, Edmund C. Tarbell, is equally well represented by his well known painting of "The Venetian Blind", an interesting and striking tour-de-force of lighting and color, which has served to add to its author's already established reputation as a virtuoso.

THE IDLE OBSERVER.

Those who have read Hamlin Garland's fine romance, "Her Mountain Lover," will remember a vivid description of the military spectacle, "Savage Africa," which is advertised this year as one of the attractions of the Main circus. "Jim," the virile, hardy Westerner, pining in the hot-house atmosphere of London, is taken to see the wild African show by a friend and the stirring scenes enacted before him make him long all the more for his own mountains and plains and the free life which has been his from boyhood.

The effect of "Savage Africa" on Jim is to make him secure passage on the first boat for America and once more take up his residence in the shadow of his beloved Rockies. The breath of out-of-doors which it brings to him increases his dissatisfaction with the artificialities of the world's metropolis and makes him long to again commune with Nature in her grandest moods. The whole thing is a fine bit of writing and is worthy to rank, in my opinion, with the work of any latter day writer of fiction.

Those who love the succulent strawberry and the delectable shortcake, and what New Englander does not, have had to pay pretty high prices for the satisfaction of their gastronomic desires this spring. First the frosts and the drouth did their deadly work on the vines and then came the heavy rains to do still further damage. It hardly looks as if we would be able to buy "three boxes for a quarter," this year.

In the book of weather records by Charles Peirce, recently mentioned in this column, I find the statement that in January, 1832, every harbor on the Atlantic coast, from Alexandria, Va., to Eastport, Me., was ice bound, with the single exception of Portsmouth. This is something to ponder over, for history has a way of repeating itself and winters as severe as that of 1832 may be experienced again.

The glorious Fourth is now only a little more than a week away and nervous citizens have already begun to dread the noise and hilarity of the "night before." But this is a night specially dedicated to Young America and the birth of the American Eagle is certain to be celebrated according to juvenile ideas. The best thing for those of us who have outgrown our fire cracker days is to endure the racket and try to imagine the next morning that our slumbers were not disturbed in the least.

The worst thing about this New England climate of ours is that we usually get too much of a good thing. We long for clear skies and sunshine and if we wait long enough we always get them. After a time, however, fair weather becomes monotonous. The ground dries up, vegetation suffers, our ears, throats and noses become clogged with dust and we clamor for rain. The wind swings around to the East after a while and the rain comes. They not only come, but they stay and the chill breeze force us to bring out our overcoats and start up the furnace fires.

Then we complain bitterly because we are being vouchsafed no real hot

weather and we think we would be perfectly happy if the thermometer registered ninety in the shade. Things warm up in course of time and the mercury goes up one better and establishes a century mark. Not only that, but when it gets up there it seems to stick and keeps breaking heat records with distressing regularity. We go around gasping for breath and wondering how long this sort of thing is going to last. We talk regretfully of those zero days last winter and make comparisons between December and July, decidedly unfavorable to the latter month.

Now if we could only arrange it so that one rainy day could be succeeded by another of brilliant sunshine and frigid weather could follow close on the heels of torridity, how pleasant it would be.

TEN FROM KITTERY.

Real Daughters Of The Revolution
Members Of Paul Jones Chapter.

Through the efforts of Miss Marion Howard Brazier of Boston, founder of Paul Jones chapter, D. A. R., also founder and editor of the Patriotic Review, a handsome new schoolhouse will ere long bear the name of the founder of the American navy. Nowhere in the United States is there a statue, bust or memorial of any description in honor of this great sea fighter, Miss Brazier, three years ago, appeared before a committee with a petition toward this end and was fortified by the support of the committee on cooperation in patriotic work, composed of delegates from the four revolutionary societies. Her next efforts will be in the direction of a statue at Annapolis, a strong petition having been prepared by the late Admiral Belknap to be presented to the Continental congress, D. A. R., in April and later to the United States congress. Senator Lodge has a bill for a statue in Washington, and it is expected that this will be amended to Annapolis.

Paul Jones chapter has ten "real daughters," natives of Kittery, one of whom is a daughter of a man behind the gun during the great sea fight. Mrs. Sarah Perham of Matthew Thornton chapter, New Hampshire, is an associate member.

ITS FIFTH WEEK.

The best evidence of the popularity of York State Folks at the Majestic theatre in Boston is its continuation, now for the fifth week, with crowded attendances at every performance.

There is many a delicious comedy scene which one recalls after reaching home and thinking the play over and there is that indescribable something about it which prompts the feeling that it would be a real pleasure to see it again.

Just plain people from a plain town say the plainest things possible, and do exactly what might be expected, and yet they fill an evening out with flowery pleasantness, say simplicity, sparkling youth and adorable sentiment enough to last a year. It is not only a good play, or a well written play, of which so much can be said. It is, to begin with, a literary achievement of breadth, originality and palpable force.

The fifth week of this honestly prolonged run of York State Folks began last Monday with still another crowded house, and the management found the box office indications pointing so strongly to big attendances all the week that in addition to the regular bargain matinees on Wednesday and Saturday there was an extra matinee Hooker day.

College graduates whose homes are in Portsmouth are returning every day.

"These Precious Isles Set in a Silver Sea."

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The splendid sea-going steamer Rockland, will leave Appledore wharf, foot of Deer street, Portsmouth, N. H., at 8:20 and 11:30 a. m., and 5:40 p. m., on week days. Sundays at 10:45 a. m., and 5 p. m. Returning leave the islands at 6:00 and 9:15 a. m., and 3:30 p. m., on week days. Sundays, 8:45 a. m., and 3:30 p. m.

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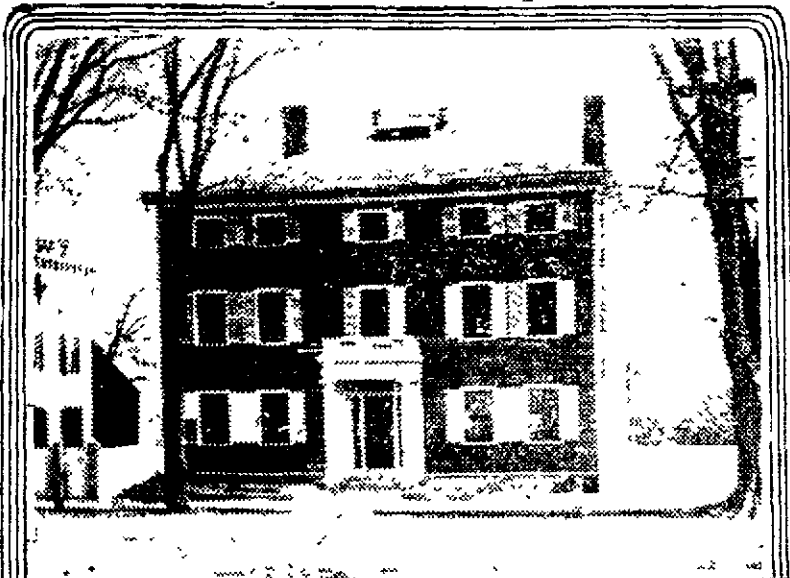
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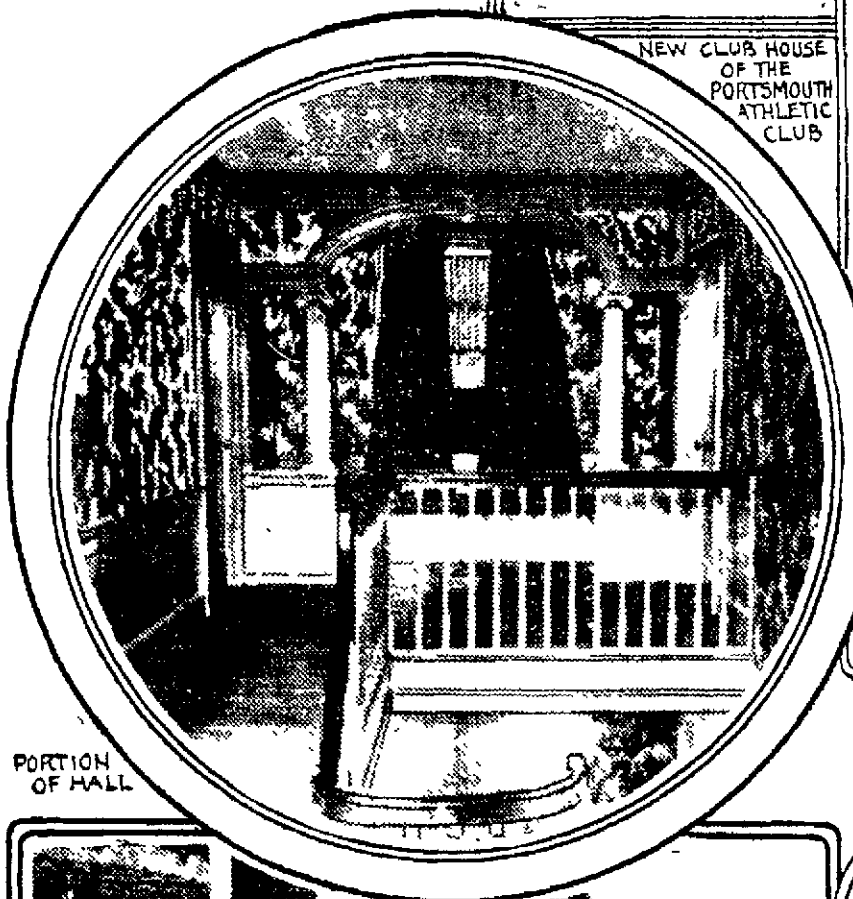
The new headquarters on Court street of the Portsmouth Athletic club "blossomed as the rose" on Thursday evening, the occasion being the first Ladies' night yet observed therein.

The committee of arrangements of this notable event consisted of President Joseph P. Conner, Fred E. Hasty, Fernando W. Hartford, Walter H. Page, Fred N. Jones, Edwin W. Gray, Fred F. Hayes and William E. Storer.

The club house was finely decorated and admired by every beholder. The banister rail, leading from the front entrance to the directors' room, was laid with hemlock dotted with clusters of marguerites, while the newel bore a basket of green, capped



NEW CLUB HOUSE OF THE PORTSMOUTH ATHLETIC CLUB



PORTION OF HALL



A CORNER IN THE DIRECTORS' ROOM

with daisies. Potted palms were on the landings. Near the entrance was a jardiniere filled with irises and swainsonia.

The rear hall stair railing leading to the billiard hall was entwined with evergreen and ferns, with bunches of mock orange.

The parlor mantel was laid in palms, ferns, dracaenas and bouquets, a tall jardiniere was filled with bridesmaid roses and placed between two windows. The centerpiece set on a handsome piece of mountmellick embroidery, and large palms were in each corner of the room and a new and elegant brass fire set ornamented the fireplace.

The lounging room was its beauty

of daybreak carnations and potted ferns.

The directors' quarters had for a centerpiece a platoon basket filled with asparagus plumosus and G. H. Crane carnations, the latter being the club colors. This rested on a handsome drawnwork piece. Pink peonies filled commanding positions, while potted palms were generously used.

The Turkish room was in yellow with nasturtiums, chrysanthemums and irises.

The dining hall had its mantel banked with ferns, dracaenas and vases filled with lilies.

The general adornments were under the direction of R. E. Hannaford who had the assistance of Mrs. E. C. Sutton of York, Mrs. Hannaford and

Mrs. John H. Taylor. The club was the recipient from Norwalk, Conn. friends of a large box of roses and bridesmaid pearls. Jack roses, iris and swainsonia. This was a compliment to the platoon basket which graced the directors' room.

Six hundred invitations were sent out the list including those who had so materially assisted in making the week's banquet of the past winter such a grand success. The result was a notable gathering and one of the largest ever known in the club records at Portsmouth.

Every member of this notable organization was appointed on the reception committee and individually went on duty at 7:30 o'clock. That their unflinching services were ably performed was in manifest evidence through the ease and sociability which everywhere prevailed. The Naval orchestra added greatly to the festivities.

The following was the concert program:

March, "Somerset,"	Weigand
Overture "Prince of Pilsen,"	Luders
Intermezzo, "Russe,"	Flanke
Selection, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home,"	Edwards
"Paris Nouveau,"	Wohanka
(a) Cocooner dance,	Herman
(b) Hilaria,	Moret
Medley Overture "Coming Tho' the 'Rye,"	Von Tilzer
"Dixie Land,"	Haines
Fantasia, "Chestnuts,"	Bendix
Selection from opera, "King Dodo,"	Luders
March, "Soldiers and Sweethearts,"	Hall

Requested numbers: Song for cornet J. T. Hall

Chicken Salad
Lobster Newburg
Sauté Chicken
Sauté Rolls
Olives
Eggplant
Pumpkin
Cress
Cranberries
Haricots au Cream
Frozen Pudding
Assorted Cakes
Punch
Coffee

Cutler and Walsh were the caterers and the Waiters Atlantic attended to the service.

The criteria of a social gathering for the manner in which they cared for the wants of probably the largest social gathering ever seen in Portsmouth.

During the festivities two rich floral baskets were presented to President Joseph P. Conner and his fiancée Miss Elizabeth Perkins by Vice President Fred E. Hasty in behalf of Mrs. E. C. Sutton of York. One was composed of Freedom carnations and the other of Mrs. B. A. C. and the spring. Each of the baskets were tied with ribbon. The reply of the president was particularly felicitous.

The company seemed to leave these festive scenes hence it was late the last glimmer of light in the handsome rooms went out but memory will long hold a glad review of this first ladies' night in the new headquarters and of the date, Thursday June 25, 1903.

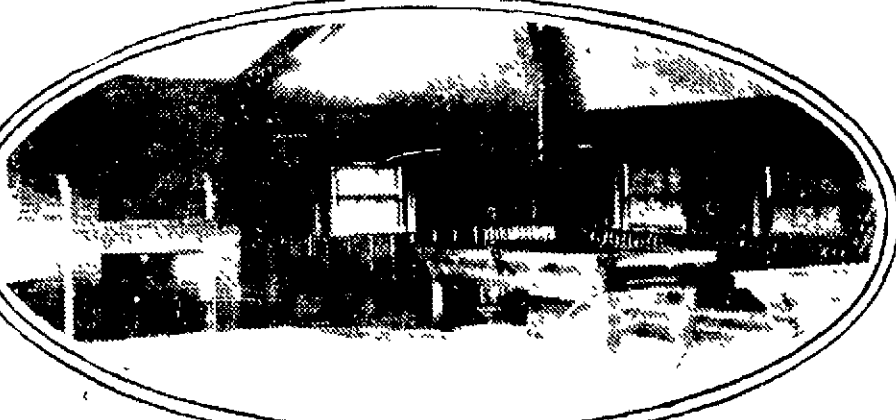
President Conner has been an indefatigable worker for the club ever since his election as its chief, and this was never more apparent than on Thursday evening. He was not only quietly omnipresent but also personified affability.

Among the guests of the club were noted the following:

Miss Elizabeth Perkins, Miss Christine Perkins Rye, Mrs. Simpson, Miss Helen Bragdon, York, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Buckley, Dorchester, Mass., Miss H. P. Paterson, Springfield, Mass., Mrs. James C. Cullen, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. M. F. Wentworth, Mrs. C. Hayes, Mrs. F. A. Noyes, Mrs. F. L. Middleton, Miss C. Brooks, Kittery, Mrs. J. B. Shannon, Mrs. F. P. Macomber, Mrs. J. G. Parsons, Mrs. J. W. Emery, Mrs. E. W. Gray, Mrs. A. P. Conner, Mrs. Sophia Giepp, Mrs. O. W. Priest



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The extremely convenient and elegant club house of the P. A. C. necessarily provided a source of much interest to the guests and the deputized members who escorted the ladies about the premises and explained each detail made everybody delighted with all that they saw, as they might well have been.

It was intended to have the garden converted into bowers of spruce, these to be dimly lighted by electricity, as retreats for the guests of the club but unfortunately the inclement weather forbade it.

Billiards and other games added a pleasant variety to the evening's pleasures.

From eight till eleven o'clock a refreshment was served these ten

Mrs. R. E. Hannaford, Mrs. F. H. Ward, Mrs. C. F. Shillaber, Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mrs. B. Green, Mrs. G. H. Joy, Mrs. M. W. Avers, Mrs. J. C. Rowe, Mrs. L. K. Lord, Mrs. M. E. Shedd, Mrs. R. Patterson, Mrs. A. J. Lance, Mrs. R. J. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. F. R. Hills, Mrs. G. Hill, Mrs. J. E. Hoxie, Mrs. F. J. Philbrick, Mrs. B. Parker, Mrs. W. E. Pierce, Mrs. B. F. Lombard, Mrs. H. C. Hopkins, Mrs. W. L. Condon, Mrs. W. H. Fay, Mrs. J. G. Sweetser, Mrs. E. M. Fisher, Mrs. R. I. Walden, Mrs. C. Humphreys, Mrs. I. F. Sugden, Mrs. S. Moe, Mrs. A. Hutton, Mrs. T. Flanagan, Mrs. G. E. French, Mrs. L. Pope, Jr., Mrs. W. G. Marshall, Mrs. G. D. Chapman, Mrs. H. P. Payne, Mr. W. B. Newton, Mrs. Mary S. Cole, Misses Helen A. Newell, Grace Conner, Alice M. Norton, Blanche G. Rand, Mary L. Parker, Martha Simpson, Effie L. Paul, Corolla P. Magbridge, Frances P. Wendell, Emma L. W. Magraw, Antoinette C. Shiles, Ina C. Montgomery, Grace A. Sides, Florence Hill, Alice A. Reinwald, Vida J. Whittier, Florence G. Marshall, Irma L. Well

Ida Carter, Lucy H., John D. Mes, Alice J. Hanson, Eva Stinson, Catherine R. R. Emma J. Bad, Jack Ethel Jewett, Lizzie, Mabel, Marion Woods, Annie Parbo, Florence Hatch, Grace K. Brown, Marie Kent, Ida Foster, Amy Richardson, Florence Hill and C. M. Chairman.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU MAY KNOW.

George S. Wasson, the Kittery author is gratified at the ready sale with which his latest book recently received from the publishers is meeting. The book is made up mostly of short stories never before published and in the reading of it one can distinguish many local characters and old-time sayings such as are heard in an old-fashioned grocery store.

Capt. Levi Downs, of Pilgrim commandery, Knights Templar of Laconia, is an old sea captain and while a lot of the Knights were very much "upset" on their trip to the Shoals on the City of Haverhill, he was right in his glory when the boat was tossing. To say that he enjoyed the little spell of rough weather is putting it mildly.

Mrs. Frank W. Hackett, wife of the former assistant secretary of the navy, has been stopping at the York shire Inn, York Beach this week. She will probably pass the summer there.

Chief Justice McKenna of the United States Supreme court and Mrs. McKenna and daughters of Washington have arrived at York Harbor for the season. The family have been staying at Mrs. Glenn's until the opening of the Marshall House at which hotel they have passed several summers.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich and Mrs. Aldrich have been guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, at their summer residence, Rock Lodge at York Harbor. This is the first time the poet has visited York since his boyhood days when he lived in Portsmouth where he was born in 1836. In all these years the changes have been so great that he could hardly recognize a familiar locality. Everything has changed but the old ocean, which looked to him just as it did in the days when he wrote these familiar lines:

And then to hear the muffled tolls
From steeples slim and white,
And watch among the Isles of Shoals
The Beacon's orange light.

Former Governor Frank W. Rollins has received new honors. The prize winning strawberry at the exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural society bears the name Governor Rollins. It is a seedling from the farm of Benjamin F. Smith, who is well known to New Hampshire people as the donor of the public library at Meredith.


Thomas Clarke, the professional golf instructor of the Hotel Wentworth links arrived from Riverside, Ill. this morning. He will be at the Portsmouth Country club for a few days giving lessons. Clarke, while in the West, played great golf and broke the record for the Riverside course, with a thirty-six.

Miss Caroline P. Tebbetts of State street has returned from a week's outing at the Sullivan cottage, York Beach, with sixteen ladies who were her classmates at the Clarke institute, Northampton, Mass. The party had a glorious time regardless of the inclement weather.

Fred Boley, who keeps a pool room on Water street is telling of a peculiar experience that happened to him the other day. He went into a store for some eggs and before buying asked if they were fresh. "Oh yes," assured the storekeeper. When Boley got home and took the eggs out of the bag, on the shell of one of them he found written "Helen Espe, Radcliffe Iowa, April 8, 1903." Back he rushed to the store and demanded an explanation, also another dozen of eggs. The first he couldn't get but the latter the storekeeper handed out to him.

C. F. Shillaber, president of the Country Club, is to present a silver cup (to be known as the president's cup) to be played for in a tournament on the fourth of July. The plan is for two handicap tournaments, the first on the fourth and the second in August. The first two in each are to qualify for the semifinals and finals on Labor day which is the annual outing day of the club. The winner is to have his name on the cup and have the custody of it for one year. If he wins it three years it is to become his personal property.

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Astrin, Ireland, has decided to resume the ringing of the curfew bell nightly.

Ventnor has by far the most hours of real sunshine of any town in the British Isles.

There are six canals connected with the Thames, which extend altogether 234 miles.

The number of persons employed in the mining of coal in England and Wales is 25,461.

The Korean government is considering the advisability of introducing universal conscription.

A Chicago cereal food company recently ordered fifty tons of ink for use in printing its packages.

In the last decade the increase in wealth was one-seventh greater than the increase of population.

The cotton spinners of the south used last year 234,415 bales, almost as much as the New England mills.

No case of smallpox has been found in a revaccinated person for years in Chicago, says the commissioner of health.

Earthquakes have been felt far apart as the island of Dominica, West Indies, and Aquila, Italy. Vesuvius is in eruption.

Professor Calmette of Lille, France, pays snake catchers 10 cents each for the vipers for the production of his antivenom serum.

The world's average daily production of electrolytic copper is about 833 short tons, of which 86.5 per cent is supplied by the United States.

The consumption of mineral waters in the United States has been increased enormously until it now aggregates \$18,000,000 worth per annum.

Steps were taken recently toward forming in Paris a Canadian chamber of commerce to extend commercial relations between France and Canada.

"All over the world," said Dr. H. T. Ruilestrode a few days ago at the College of Surgeons in London, "there is now a marked decrease in tuberculosis."

Machinery has been ordered for the Argentine Republic to turn out 250 tons a week of molasses, the new cattle food from molasses and sugar cane fiber.

In commemoration of the Thirty Years' war the battle field of Lutzen, where King Gustav Adolf of Sweden met his death, is to be turned into a public park.

Armour & Co. expect to make an annual saving of \$100,000 by establishing wireless telegraph communication between their Chicago office and western branch houses.

Anomalous electric conditions hold at the foot of Niagara falls. The impact of the water upon the rocks gives the water a positive and the spray a negative charge.

A great ship's boiler furnace from Swansea was recently on view in the private roadway by the law courts in London as "evidence" in a case heard before Justice Walton.

The commercial relations of the Albatrosses are principally with Venice. The Turkish government gives the Italians the right to maintain post offices in the cities of Albania, and Albania has import and export agents in Italy and a bank in Venice.

The shipping of about 600,000 boxes of lemons to eastern markets from California has caused a serious depression in the lemon producing areas along the Mediterranean, especially in Sicily, whence the United States import trade has fallen from \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 worth a year.

The largest apartment house in the world is the Ansonia, which is just completed at Seventy-second street and Broadway, New York. It is seventeen stories high, provides for 1,800 persons and has sixteen elevators. The building cost \$4,000,000, and rents range from \$500 for a single room to \$1,000 for a double suite.

In a gorge of rock little more than 200 feet wide the United States government has decided to construct a dam of solid masonry, the first under the Housborough-Newlands act, at the Tonto basin site, that will create in the valleys of the upper Salt river and Tonto creek the largest artificial lake in the world. It will irrigate 200,000 acres.

Official tests of the new army rifle were made at the United States barracks, Columbus, O. The rifle is said to be greatly superior to the Krag-Jorgensen, being lighter, having a higher velocity and greater accuracy. It is a magazine gun, five cartridges being carried in a clip. The bayonet is round, fits under the barrel and is released by a spring.

One may get an appreciation of the magnitude of the St. Louis world's fair by comparison. The Centennial exposition covered 236 acres, the last Paris exposition 374, the Columbian exposition at Chicago 632, while that at St. Louis will cover 1,180 acres. The total cost of the Columbian exposition, the greatest the world has ever seen, was \$27,250,000. That of the St. Louis fair will be \$40,000,000, this exclusive of state appropriations.

Since the year 1900 pneumonia has claimed more than one-eighth of all the victims of the "grimy reaper" in Chicago, one-third more than consumption and 44 per cent more than all the other contagious and infectious diseases combined, including diphtheria, erysipelas, influenza, measles, puerperal fever, scarlet fever, smallpox, typhoid fever and whooping cough, the total of which deaths was 4,480 as compared with a total of 6,560 deaths from pneumonia.

HUMOR OF THE HOUR

The Gentle Art of Courtesy.
Talk about European politeness! How is this for American manners: Tom and his fiancée were jogging home from a fox chase in North Carolina when a big black horse came charging down the hill behind them. They hadn't thought much of the rider's horsemanship on the field, but he was sitting down to his work now and had a jaw like Gibson's version of Richard Harding Davis. The horse had one of the same kind and a Roman nose. Tom pulled to one side of the road and his companion to the other, while between them rushed that black simoon. The man on his back was in very real danger, but as he bolted past them he actually bowed, to the awful detriment of his balance, and called out:

"I beg your pardon."
Under the circumstances that was a triumph of politeness. — New York Times.

The More Difficult Part.
"The actor," said Roscius, "should always forget that he has an audience. He should immerse his soul in his lines and—"
"That's all very pretty," interrupted Horatio Tiewalker. "It isn't half so much trouble to forget that he has an audience as to forget that he hasn't one."—Judge.

Pleasible.
"What's the derivation of the word 'college'?"
"I give it up."
"But surely the word must mean something?"
"Oh, I guess it was just faked up by some poet who needed a rhyme for 'knowledge.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Satisfied.
"But, Jimmy, you want to die and go to heaven, don't you?"
"I did once, but I don't now."
"Why?"
"Cause I got a job with the gatekeeper at the baseball park, and that's good enough for me."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Beautiful Effect.
"How was Ethelinda's graduation essay?"
"Beautiful," answered the proud mother. "We spared no expense in ribbons to bind it, and I have no hesitation in saying it was the most becoming essay in the class."—Washington Star.

Ungrateful.

"Now, I want you or the comeseinr of pensens to giv me a plaks in your offits then I want ask for no mior pensen jiss now— I cau cluck o. k., but I cant labor, or I cud boss the other clarks makl them stan roum and raze dewile entil pensen Kapee them from loafeing, whesperin in offes ours also in fact akt as jenetor or supervisor sceinge all thing gone rite."

The Real Facts.

The story that the north grounds of the White House are to be closed to the public has again appeared. On the authority of Colonel Symons, the new superintendent of public buildings and grounds, there is no foundation for this. Colonel Symons declares there is no intention to shut out the public from this portion of the White House grounds. The north entrance to the mansion has been closed to the public ever since the completion of the terraces and the commodious eastern entrance. This regulation will continue, as the north entrance must be used by the president's family and will therefore be kept private. The public, however, can pass through the grounds, and a new stairway will be built by which they can descend to the eastern terrace and the public entrance to the mansion without going outside the grounds, as is now necessary.

Home For Bureau of Republics.
All the governments represented in the bureau of American republics have agreed to the plan of erecting a permanent home for that bureau in this city. This proposition has been under consideration for the past ten years, but definite action was not taken until recently. At the last meeting of the representatives of the American republics, over which Secretary Hay presided, it was determined to approve the report of the committee which had been appointed to consider the matter. This report proposes that each of the governments represented in the bureau shall contribute toward the erection of the home, and several designs were submitted. The report was adopted without a dissenting vote.

Will War on Smuggling.
Assistant Secretary Armstrong, who has charge of the customs service, has served notice upon collectors, especially those along the Canadian boundary, that a perfunctory warfare against smuggling will not be sufficient. Smuggling across the Canadian and Mexican borders has grown to such proportions that the department will insist upon extraordinary measures to break it up. One source of great annoyance is the stores built up on the boundary itself, one half in the United States and the other in foreign territory. When an American customs officer appears the Canadian goods are found on the Canadian side. Congress will probably be appealed to for a remedy.

The Summer Exodus.
Washington's fashionable section is beginning to remind one of "The Deserted Village." Many of the elegant residences present a solid front of closely drawn shutters and unattractive storm doors. In others a glimpse through open windows reveals bare walls, dismantled doorways and rugless floors, all bespeaking early departures for mountain, seacoast and foreign clime. — CARL SCHOFIELD.

No Longer the Ideal.
"Woman very seldom gets her ideal husband."
"Very naturally. You see, even if he is her ideal before marriage he generally ceases to be it afterward."—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Seemingly Injustice of It.
"Things are wrong," observed the observer of events and things, "when a reputable physician has to pay money for a certificate to practice and a fourteen-year-old girl with a new piano doesn't."—Yonkers Statesman.

His Calling.
Uncle John: What are you going to do when you are a man?
Erving (the clergyman's youngest): Well, I shall be a choral man or a minister. I've got to holler.—Town and Country.

Mirrored Thoughts.
I'm gazing into Kitty's face,
Of which I now am writing,
And see a pair of rosy eyes
Which really are my living.

A nos. that's slightly retromae,
A mouth so small and pretty
I give the chance will never be mine
To steal a kiss from Kitty.

So cruel fate, to make amends—
I blush to think the pity—
Will give some hard man the kiss,
Instead of you, my Kitty.
—McLanburgh Wilson in New York Herald.

WOMAN AND FASHION

Summer dress of front view.

Summer dress of back view.

Summer dress of side view.

Summer dress of front view.

Summer dress of back view.

Summer dress of side view.

Summer dress of front view.

Summer dress of back view.

Summer dress of side view.



BEADED WITH CROCHET RINGS.

with silk. The same effect is repeated on the sleeves. It has a lace yoke. The skirt top and lower part of the blouse are covered by a design made of tiny raised tufts. The large capeline is of pliable banana colored straw, with wreath of black and white daisies.

Fashionable Trimmings.

Fringes are back in fashion again. The knotted silk fringe is seen on many of the imported gowns, and fringe is often combined with elaborately embroidered bands as a trimming. Mexican drawn work will be used on many of the linen gowns.

And, as for buttons, there is simply no end of them. They are one of the real charms of the season. One may wonderfully accentuate a gown with smart buttons.

The heavy linen gowns show big pearl buttons. Then there are elaborately enameled and jeweled buttons, to say nothing of the buttons in imitation of fruit.

Yak lace will trim many of the spring gowns, and cluny lace both in silk and cotton will be seen.

Secret of the Featherhose.

A noticeable fail in regard to the gowns of the girls of today is that, no matter how flowery and airy they may be in effect, they always have a certain smart look about them. For instance, the transparent lace collar never wrinkles when it should not, and the chiffon lined lace never and cuff always hold their correct position. The ever useful featherhose is the secret of all this, and the summer girl knows how to use it in just the correct way to produce the best effects.

Box Plaited Frock.

An excellent example of the prevailing style of box plaited effects is shown in this simple little frock, suitable for almost any and all kinds of material. The body and skirt are in one, with three box plaits stitched to



FOR A LITTLE GIRL.

body length in front and back. A very pretty collar which may be plainly or elaborately trimmed, and the removable shield are attractive accessories. The mode develops well in serge, light weight flannels, challie, pongee or in pique, linen, madras, nainsook or gingham. — New York Journal.

FACTS IN FEW LINES

The average American uses 130 pins a year.

A person can now go from New York City to Seattle, on the coast, in four days.

Astrin, Ireland, has decided to resume the ringing of the curfew bell nightly.

Ventnor has by far the most hours of real sunshine of any town in the British Isles.

There are six canals connected with the Thames, which extend altogether 234 miles.

The number of persons employed in the mining of coal in England and Wales is 25,461.

The Korean government is considering the advisability of introducing universal conscription.

A Chicago cereal food company recently ordered fifty tons of ink for use in printing its packages.

In the last decade the increase in wealth was one-seventh greater than the increase of population.

The cotton spinners of the south used last year 234,415 bales, almost as much as the New England mills.

No case of smallpox has been found in a revaccinated person for years in Chicago, says the commissioner of health.

Earthquakes have been felt far apart as the island of Dominica, West Indies, and Aquila, Italy. Vesuvius is in eruption.

Professor Calmette of Lille, France, pays snake catchers 10 cents each for the vipers for the production of his antivenom serum.

The world's average daily production of electrolytic copper is about 833 short tons, of which 86.5 per cent is supplied by the United States.

The consumption of mineral waters in the United States has been increased enormously until it now aggregates \$18,000,000 worth per annum.

Steps were taken recently toward forming in Paris a Canadian chamber of commerce to extend commercial relations between France and Canada.

"All over the world," said Dr. H. T. Ruilestrode a few days ago at the College of Surgeons in London, "there is now a marked decrease in tuberculosis."

Machinery has been ordered for the Argentine Republic to turn out 250 tons a week of molasses, the new cattle food from molasses and sugar cane fiber.

In commemoration of the Thirty Years' war the battle field of Lutzen, where King Gustav Adolf of Sweden met his death, is to be turned into a public park.

Armour & Co. expect to make an annual saving of \$100,000 by establishing wireless telegraph communication between their Chicago office and western branch houses.

Anomalous electric conditions hold at the foot of Niagara falls. The impact of the water upon the rocks gives the water a positive and the spray a negative charge.

A great ship's boiler furnace from Swansea was recently on view in the private roadway by the law courts in London as "evidence" in a case heard before Justice Walton.

The commercial relations of the Albatrosses are principally with Venice. The Turkish government gives the Italians the right to maintain post offices in the cities of Albania, and Albania has import and export agents in Italy and a bank in Venice.

The shipping of about 600,000 boxes of lemons to eastern markets from California has caused a serious depression in the lemon producing areas along the Mediterranean, especially in Sicily, whence the United States import trade has fallen from \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 worth a year.

The largest apartment house in the world is the Ansonia, which is just completed at Seventy-second street and Broadway, New York. It is seventeen stories high, provides for 1,800 persons and has sixteen elevators. The building cost \$4,000,000, and rents range from \$500 for a single room to \$1,000 for a double suite.

In a gorge of rock little more than 200 feet wide the United States government has decided to construct a dam of solid masonry, the first under the Housborough-Newlands act, at the Tonto basin site, that will create in the valleys of the upper Salt river and Tonto creek the largest artificial lake in the world. It will irrigate 200,000 acres.

Official tests of the new army rifle were made at the United States barracks, Columbus, O. The rifle is said to be greatly superior to the Krag-Jorgensen, being lighter, having a higher velocity and greater accuracy. It is a magazine gun, five cartridges being carried in a clip. The bayonet is round, fits under the barrel and is released by a spring.

One may get an appreciation of the magnitude of the St. Louis world's fair by comparison. The Centennial exposition covered 236 acres, the last Paris exposition 374, the Columbian exposition at Chicago 632, while that at St. Louis will cover 1,180 acres. The total cost of the Columbian exposition, the greatest the world has ever seen, was \$27,250,000. That of the St. Louis fair will be \$40,000,000, this exclusive of state appropriations.

Since the year 1900 pneumonia has claimed more than one-eighth of all the victims of the "grimy reaper" in Chicago, one-third more than consumption and 44 per cent more than all the other contagious and infectious diseases combined, including diphtheria, erysipelas, influenza, measles, puerperal fever, scarlet fever, smallpox, typhoid fever and whooping cough, the total of which deaths was 4,480 as compared with a total of 6,560 deaths from pneumonia.

NEW SHORT STORIES CHOICE MISCELLANY

Change of Front.
An interest in story is really not a newspaper correspondent who came to Washington from Pittsburgh a dozen or so years ago. He worked for a newspaper which was very better in its denunciation of special privileges to corporations, especially to transportation companies. After he had been here a short time he changed his service and was employed by a very conservative newspaper. He then began furnishing an entirely different kind of correspondence.

One of his old friends paid him a visit from Pittsburgh and after warm congratulations as to the professional progress he was making offered this observation:

"Tom, I certainly am delighted to see you getting along so well. But I must say that I miss those rib roasting dispatches you used to fire in about the railroads. What is the matter? Are you losing your nerve?"

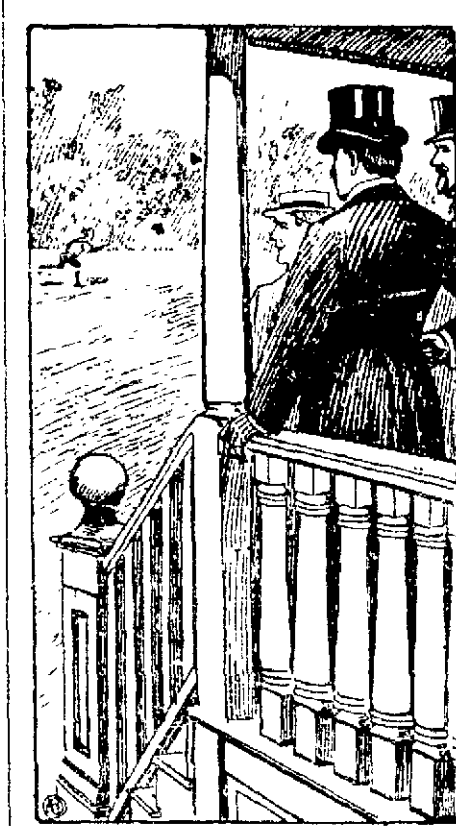
Tom chewed his chin reflectively for a moment and then produced a fat pocketbook, from which he extracted a dozen annual passes over various railroads. After exhibiting them he drawled:

"Jim, so far as I am concerned the railroads can have the rotunda of the capitol for a roundhouse."—Washington Post.

Treatment For Too Much Talk.

The Duke of Argyll tells this story of Winston Churchill, which shows that the talent for talk developed young in the author and member of parliament:

Some years ago he visited Harrow and, noticing a boy running around



"WE MAKE HIM RUN THREE TIMES AROUND THE CRICKET FIELD."

the cricket field by himself, asked what he was doing it for.

"That's Lord Randolph Churchill's son, and whenever he talks too much we make him run three times around the cricket field."—New York Tribune.

Doesn't Appreciate Art.

The sculpture representing Kansas in a group at the St. Louis exposition is a half nude woman with one arm thrown over the neck of a bull. "The woman," comments that high art critic, the Atchison Globe, "has no clothes on except a drapey across her knees and a handkerchief wound around her forehead. The former might be a bath robe, but the latter looks as though she had just finished dusting and sat down to rest. But she has a sickle in one hand, and Kansas women don't use sickles to dust with. And there is the bull. Bulls are not that tame. If it had been a cow on her feet, with a milking bucket under her, it would have been more like. The woman's feet are bare except for a pair of sandals. Our women don't hang around fierce bulls in such attire, but, on the contrary, run from them."

"If the artist insists upon a bull, then he should have a full dressed woman holding up her skirts and running for dear life for a fence."

"We don't understand art. We are glad when we see what is to represent Kansas that we don't."

A Rebel Wife.

Barnstorming Theatians who occasionally have to dodge substantial expressions of displeasure of audiences will sympathize with the claim of a veteran who recently reached the pension bureau. It is a story of domestic infelicity and opens up a field of vengeance for those who keep in touch with poultry products. The claim is made in a letter that indicates a lack of familiarity with the three I's, and it contains this brief, succinct proposition from the battle scarred survivor of his country:

"I got blood poison by being hit with a hens egg when I came back from the front. The egg was not good when you sent my poussin I want the Doed made so my wife cant get none of it she throte the egg. She war a rebel."—Washington Cor. New York Tribune.

A Sweet Compliment.

On one occasion as Miss Melba was coming out of her room in a New York hotel after some hours' practice a lady who was staying on the same floor approached her and said: "Pardon me, madam, but I think you will be touched at hearing what my little boy said just now. He is lying in bed recovering from an illness, and when you began to sing he held up his little hand and murmured, 'Hush, mamma, dear! hush! sing!'"

An ingenious compliment the Australian nightingale fully appreciated.

Marvels of Corn Culture.

Thousands of practical instances could be given to show the value of improved varieties of corn. For instance, one southern farmer's former more progressive than the rest was deemed to secure enough improved seed to plant 300 acres as a result of his study of corn in the Illinois college of Agriculture. These 300 acres only added out of the other fields on his farm more than thirty bushels per acre and so far as could be determined the fields of that entire section yielded about thirty bushels per acre. This increase in yield meant a total gain of about 9000 bushels, which represented a cash value of about \$3000 at that season. As this increase did not represent an increased cost of production, the gain was pure profit. In another case a farmer in central Illinois became interested in improved seed corn through the school of corn judging in the Illinois Agricultural college. He secured enough seed grown by a corn breeder to plant eighty acres. As a result he raised almost twenty five bushels more per acre on this field than where the ordinary seed was planted.—Cosmo-politan.

Married In Her Petticoat.

In order to live up to her vow to be married in white Mrs. Martha Gordon of Frankfort, Ind., took off her dress skirt and was married in her white petticoat. Henry Harris was the bridegroom.

The couple were married in the county clerk's office by Justice of the Peace William Campbell. Just before the ceremony the bride elect asked County Clerk Smith if there was a room convenient where she could arrange her toilet. Mr. Smith directed her into a private room, and then the assembled guests waited.

Presently the door opened, and the bride appeared. The squire, a white bearded official, gasped and turned red about the ears, for the lady came forward with her white petticoat the most prominent portion of her trousseau.

"I said I'd be married in white, and I will. Proceed with the ceremony," she said.

After the ceremony the bride retired to the room and again donned her skirt.—Indianapolis News.

Triumphant Schoolboys.

A few days ago the venerable king of Denmark received a letter purporting to come from four lads, scholars of a school at Flakkebjerg. It was short, clear and sensational and ran as follows: "To King Christian in Copenhagen: We are four boys of the Flakkebjerg seminary who have been dogged by a teacher with a steel wire rope. Unless this is stopped it will kindle a fire." The missive was unsigned. Usually anonymous letters are tossed into the waste paper basket, but in this case the monarch held that an inquiry ought to be made, so he sent the letter to the minister of justice and instructed him to have the matter thoroughly investigated. This was duly done, and the facts which came to light confirmed the extraordinary allegation of the unnamed scholars. One of the masters, overzealous in applying the rod, had used the ungalvanized steel wire rope in the hope of making a deeper impression on his backward or wayward pupils. Once the fact was established he was dismissed on the spot. — London Telegraph.

She Knew Women.

Flossie, who is doing her first year in school, albeit she is a very bright child, came in the other evening and began catechizing her mother.

"Mamma," she inquired, "is there anybody in history named Timon Tyde?"

"You heard of such a name as Timon," ventured the mother doubtfully. "Was Timon a man or a woman?"

"A man, if I remember correctly."

"I guess that must be the same one, then."

By this time the mother was quite curious.

"Why do you think so when you know so little about it?" she queried.

"Well," responded Flossie, with confidence, "the teacher said today that Timon Tyde waits for no man, and I didn't think it could be a woman."

Maoriland's Niagara.

The Huka falls, the Niagara of Maoriland, which the New Zealand government has an idea of turning to account for the generation of electric power, are on one of the head reaches of the Waikato river, a few miles from where the great stream flows out of Lake Taupo. Lake Taupo lies very high above sea level, and the Waikato has its beginning through a narrow chasm in the rocky wall of the lake. Flowing out through this passage, the enormous mass of water is whirled at first over the huge precipice at Huka, and the falls form one of the grandest sights in New Zealand. On the report of an expert the Wellington government expects to get electric power enough from the Huka falls to supply the whole of the north island for all purposes.

Explanation of Advance in Price.

Cod liver oil has lately been quoted at a price nearly three times as high as it commanded a year ago. The explanation of the advance is that practically the entire supply of the oil used for medicinal purposes comes from the Norway fisheries, and the cod have been destroyed or driven from their feeding grounds by predatory seals. Let us not judge the seals too harshly. Perhaps they needed a nutritive stimulant. And anyway they have given the American cod a fine chance to prove that he is good for something besides fish balls.

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A Guide for Visitors and Members.

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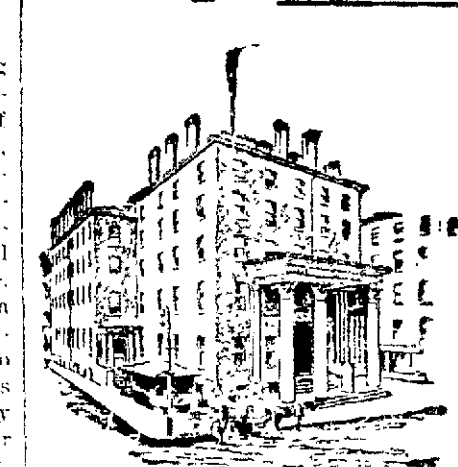
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FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1913.



Don't you worry 'bout
De little dash ob rain—
Jest you keep on smilin' 'an'
Sunshine'll come again.
—Baltimore News.

CITY BRIEFS.

Hay is still twenty-one dollars a ton.
Mount Washington is covered with snow.

There is a great boom on in the wheat and corn markets.

Have your shoes repaired by John Mott, 34 Congress street.

The Herald originates features—only to have them imitated.

Rheumatic patients complain bitterly of the weather conditions.

If the weather clears there will be a large exodus of vacationists next week.

"Fought with Hooker" is the proud acclaim today of those who followed "Fighting Joe."

Every member of the family can use and enjoy the Angelus. Montgomery's ad is interesting.

Four cartloads of brick were sent to the plant of the White Mountain Paper company on Thursday.

A. W. Stewart, driver for The Chicago Meat company, has resigned to take a position in Newburyport.

Country newspapers report that the hay crop has been saved by the rain, and that the returns will show an average yield.

To Let—Desirable front room, suitable for office or lodging, 9 Congress street. Inquire of Dr. Bennett, successor to Dr. Ham.

Harold N. Holt furnished music for the commencement reception and dance of the class of '13, D. H. S., at Dover last evening.

Local members of the New Hampshire Exchange club in Boston have received booklets containing a list of members and other information.

The season at Hampton Beach will be officially opened next Monday, June 29, when J. W. Gorman's Olympians will open a week's engagement at Hampton Beach.

Have your carpets cleaned by Earl H. Dearborn, successor to C. L. Simpson, Water street. Orders may be left at Thos. Lester's or Philbrick's Pharmacy. Tel. Con.

The ladies' night at the P. A. C. was one of the most successful affairs in the history of this famous organization and it will long be remembered by the ladies and the club members.

The State Y. M. C. A. boys' camp to be held on Timber Island, Lake Winnepesaukee, opens next Wednesday and will continue two weeks. Several Portsmouth boys may be included in the party.

On Aug. 1 the American Tobacco company will pay its stockholders, of whom there are several in this city a dividend of two per cent. on the preferred stock and three per cent. on the common stock.

Rev. Lorin Webster and Miss Penner of this city were among those in attendance at the wedding of Miss Clara Farwell Holt of Claremont and Edward K. Woodworth of Concord which took place at Claremont on Thursday.

ANNUAL OUTING AT YORK

One week from Thursday the children of the City Mission Sunday school at Manchester, will be given their annual outing at York Beach. They will be furnished free transportation and will enjoy the day by the salt water. The party will leave Manchester in the morning returning on the evening train. J. Frank Plummer will have charge of the party and he will be assisted by some of the friends and workers of the school. This event in the past has proved a great boon to the many children who but for this generosity might not have the pleasure of a glimpse of old ocean for many years.

STILL GOING.

That piece of news about the month which The Herald published a month ago is still going around in other papers under the name of a...

TO TAKE PAPER PLANT.

A \$6,000,000 Syndicate Being Formed In New York Now.

(Special to The Herald.)
New York, June 26.—A syndicate of prominent capitalists is being organized here to take over the plant of the White Mountain Paper company at Portsmouth, N. H., and carry to completion the construction of the big mills there, which is now at a temporary standstill.

This syndicate will represent a "strong box" of \$6,000,000. It will be composed of the McGrath interests (McGrath was president of the White Mountain Paper company before the work of reorganizing the affairs of the corporation was begun by the appointment of W. F. Donovan receiver.)

The syndicate will mean business from the very start. It will re-establish a solid and substantial basis and prosecute the completion of the mills as rapidly as is possible with thoroughness of construction.

The money is all available and when the members of the syndicate once take hold on things at the Freeman's Point plant, it will be with a firm grip.

The Herald has been aware for some time that this deal was on. The time seems now to have arrived when it is proper to give it public announcement.

That the news conveyed in this despatch from New York will be received with pleasure by the people of Portsmouth, there can be no doubt.

On July 8, there will be a hearing in the United States District court on the cancellation of the receivership of W. F. Donovan, and then it is expected that the present tangle of the paper company's affairs will be so cleared away that the new syndicate can at once proceed. Until that time all operations at Freeman's Point will cease entirely.

A BREAKING POINT

Reached In Relations Between Retail Clerks And Their Employers.

The Retail Grocers and Provision Dealers' association and the Retail Clerks' union have come to a breaking point in their controversy over an agreement as to the schedule for the year.

Some time ago the unions took action, which virtually placed a boycott on all stores not having the union card displayed.

The members of the different unions went around and told their dealers of the action and in many cases followed in the tracks of the unions and stopped trading at the store.

The grocers and provision dealers voted to fight the boycott and it resulted in a petition being drawn up, which the clerks were asked to sign.

It was to the effect that the clerks tendered their resignation to the union, on the ground that the unions boycott was injuring their employers' business, and with the condition that the resignation would be withdrawn if the boycott was removed.

This has been passed among the dealers and the clerks asked to sign it. Many of the clerks did but some have refused and these will go through with their jobs on Saturday night.

The dealers claim that they have given in to every demand of the clerks about closing up at six o'clock and on holidays, but they refuse to accept the union card, for the simple reason that in many cases all their clerks are not in the union, and won't join, and if they accept the union card, they will have to discharge these clerks.

The clerks' union claim that they only want the union card accepted and the clerks all to belong to the union.

It is understood that everything has not been running smoothly in the union of late and that a number of members have withdrawn from it.

VISITING NEWSPAPERMEN.

New Hampshire Weekly Publishers Association Are Here.

About thirty members of the New Hampshire Weekly Publishers' association have arrived in this city on their last summer outing.

to York Beach, where they make their headquarters at the Atlantic Hotel.

The evening the annual meeting will be held and officers elected. Tomorrow the association will ride on a special car over the P. K. and Y. to the navy yard where an inspection will be made of everything of interest.

A trip to the Isles of Shoals will then be taken with dinner at the Ocean House.

The party will remain at the Isles until Sunday forenoon, when they will return to Portsmouth and go by railway to Hampton Beach, where their headquarters will be at the Ocean House.

LATEST TROLLEY NEWS.

Manager Meloon Of P. K. & Y Gives Herald His Latest Plans.

The change of time on the P. K. & Y. railway, or more properly the Portsmouth branch of the Portsmouth, Dover and York, to the half-hourly service has been delayed somewhat this year for two reasons.

The great amount of work on the new road has weakened the force employed on this road; the other reason is found in the unseasonable weather, which has prevented the travel from assuming the proportions which June ought to furnish.

The time will be changed, however, within a few days. Next Sunday surely will see half hourly cars and possibly they may be put on before that time.

The Portsmouth, Kittery and York electric street railway will start running on summer time next Sunday morning. There will be half-hourly cars from Badger's Island to St. Asplund park, up to ten o'clock at night.

The present running time on the Elliot and Kittery road will remain in force until the overhead bridge is completed.

This morning, General Manager W. G. Meloon went to Elliot to make an inspection of the overhead bridge at Elliot depot. He expects that it will be finished in about a week's time.

This afternoon Manager Meloon and Mayor Whittemore of Dover will make a trip over the new road in a special car and tomorrow morning at ten o'clock the Maine railroad commissioners will accompany Mr. Meloon over the road on an inspection tour.

The cars will begin running regularly over the Dover and South Berwick road next Monday morning, leaving both ends at ten minutes before the hour. For a time (owing to the newness of the road) an hour will be taken to make the trip.

The cars from Dover to York Beach will start on Wednesday. The regular cars from Dover through Elliot to Kittery will not start until the overhead bridge at Elliot Depot is completed.

It is expected that everything will be running smoothly on the entire system by the fourth of July.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of Phoebe A. Hanson was held at two o'clock this afternoon, from her late home on South Mill street. Rev. Thomas Whiteside, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. The body was placed in the family tomb in North cemetery, by Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Greenwood was held at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur F. Cox, 47 Maplewood avenue. Rev. Henry E. Hovey, rector of St. John's church, officiating. Burial was in Harmony Grove cemetery, under the direction of O. W. Ham.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

The United States District court convened here this morning before Judge Putnam of Portland.

In the case of Raymond Syndicate vs. James B. Brown, executor, a hearing on a bill in equity and demurrer, Judge Putnam delivered an oral opinion, overruling the demurrer and ordering the defendant to file an answer on or before the first Monday in August.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

At a meeting of the Central Labor Union held on Thursday evening, William Cogan was elected president and Francis Thompson chosen a delegate to the National Convention of the American Federation, to be held in Boston.

Farmer Dunn predicts that there will be a heavy crop of potatoes this year.

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Of Rain Has Fallen Since Morning Of Tenth Of June.

It is estimated that from the morning of the tenth of June, when the drought was broken, until the present time, nearly twelve inches of rain has fallen.

This is the heaviest fall, in a like time, ever recorded in this city. In some places it would mean floods and loss of property and life, but Portsmouth, with its wonderful river, could take off that amount of rain inside of a day.

Outside the city this large amount of rain has filled the brooks to an overflow and flooded the low farming lands.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

The square in front of the office building is to be laid out in the form of a gun park, with approaches to the office, giving a very pretty effect. The plan is to have a circular grass plot in front of the office, with the two Spanish rifles mounted on each side, and in the middle of the plot a mound of old round shot. It would add greatly to the appearance of the yard.

Yesterday was pay day at the yard. The construction and repair pay roll for the first half of the month, was \$17,000.

The plans for the storehouse have been returned with the specifications and blue prints are being sent out. The bids for the building will be opened July 25.

The tug Nezinscott, Captain Olsen, made a quick trip to Widow's Island. The tug left here Monday afternoon and returned Thursday morning, bringing back all of the furniture in the naval hospital on the island.

Capt. Olsen struck very rough weather, so much so that a large number of the crew, some of them old sailors, were seasick. The tug is a rattling good sea boat and one of the best in the service.

The clear weather has started the outside work with a rush.

THE YANKTON COMING.

The U. S. S. Yankton is on her way to the Portsmouth navy yard from Port Antonio, which she left today.

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BOSTON GETS IT.

May Meeting Of State Women's Clubs To Be Held There.

At a meeting of the State board of the Federation of Women's Clubs, held at the New Manchester house in Manchester on Thursday, it was decided to hold the next May meeting of the state federation in Boston, where the ladies will be the guest of the New Hampshire Daughters.

The fall meeting, held during the last week of September, will be at Center Harbor.

The ladies present at Thursday's meeting were Mrs. Mary R. Wood of this city, president of the state federation; Mrs. Oliver E. Branch, Mrs. Frank Preston and Mrs. Olive Rand Clarke of Manchester, Mrs. W. W. Hill of Concord, Miss Annie Wallace and Mrs. Charles Hussey of Rochester, Mrs. L. C. Casier of Berlin and Mrs. H. C. Hewitt of this city.

WATER FLOWED IN.

The first water to make any showing in the basin at Henderson's Point washed over the wall on the side toward the harbor on Wednesday night and for two hours it came in so fast that work was suspended and it was feared the whole basin would be filled. When the tide changed, however, it ceased to flow in, but it remained about five or six feet deep and it was necessary to force it out with the pumps. No work was done in the basin Thursday.

What's the use of an idle piano in the house? An Angelus will solve the problem. Read Montgomery's ad.

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